Alexandria Gazetie

MONDAY EVENING OCTOBER 3.

LOCAL NEWS.

For this section rain, followed by cooler

PRESENTATION.—While Mr. Charle: T. Dabney was the Master of Transportation of the Virginia Midland railroad he, by his uniform kindness and courtesy, became a general favorite among the employees of that rand. When he resigned a few months general favorite among the employees of that road. When he resigned a few months since to accept a position on the C. & O. road it was with sincereregret that the men took leave of him, and as a mark of their esteem and affection for him they sent him a very handsome silver pitcher, appropriately uscribed. The following is the correspondence:

ALEXANDEIA, Va., August 17, 1887.

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(**C. T. Dabley, eq., Richaond, Var.*
Dear Sir.: Your friends on the Virginia Midle of Division of the kichmond and Danville R. R. system, ho ding you personally in high esteem, and remembering your uniform kindness and at any toward them white filling the responsible oution of Master of Transportation of said railroad desire to present to you a silver pitcher as a town of their appreciation whilst under your control. In transmitting this present, though of little value in itself, they do express the hope that its reception may afford you as much genuic epleasure as the giving has afforded them. We desire also to express our deep regret at the loss we have personally sustained by your withdrawal rum our rend; at the same time we congratuate you on your promotion to a more extended field efosperation, where your ability and experience at have a larger field in which to display itself. Wisbing you the bighest measure of success and assuring you of our esteem, we are truly dienced.

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thers' tentlement: Your favor of August 17 only cached this morning; hence the delay in accommodate the this morning; hence the delay in accommodate the this beautiful testimonial of your aniship. It is exquisite in workmanship and e.g., and while its intrinsic value is great, it as far dearer value to me from sentiments it accept and in being a mark of your friendship of estem words fail to express the gratification is rec ption has given me, and this act of our will always be a bright spot in my memory, and treasure the gift as a memento of you and pleasant remind r of the friends I have left must on the Victima Midland and of the days were associated begelter. Again thanking you this generous token of your regard, and with the surface of your regard, and with wishes for you and yours always, I am corely your frien?,

CHAS T. DAENEY.

ARE THE ALEXANDRIA MERCHANTS EN-TERRISING ?-Recently, while in a county which has close business relations with Alxandria the writer, while in conversation with a number of gentlemen, controverted he charge made by them that Alexandria was a slow town and that few of her mer-man's were enterprising. The gentlemen ins sted, giving various reasons for their beins, seed, giving various reasons for their beins, and one of them, in a manner which
showed that he felt he had the best of the
argument, said, "I will convince you in
two minutes that what I say is so." Looking over a copy of the GAZETTE which he
was reading at the time, he said: "Here
is a paper which is considered the leading
journal of this part of the State and which ournai of this part of the State and which sknown to be circulated all over the country, and yet the names of many of the mershed cannot be found in its columns." He then enumerated various branches of ousiness which were not advertised, and that there are such merchants in your city." This was all so, and goes to show the various ways by which a community is judged. There is no better evidence of the prosperity a city or of the enterprise of its merchants han is shown by the support which its example is receive, and those who think behind the times. A fact ot be denied is that the most prosmerchants in this or any other city e whose business is the best adver-

PERSONAL.--Mr. Frank G. Odenheimer, f Philadelphia, and Miss Cordelia Sothron daughter of Capt. Edward B. Powell, of Leesburg, were married Wednesday morning last at St. Paul's Church, Baltimore, by Rev. J. S. B. Hodges, rector. The wedding was a very quiet one on account of the illness of Capt. Powell. The bride was given away by Mr. William S. Powell, her

The marriage of Mr. L. E. Woodward, of Fauquier, and Miss Kate S. Burchell, of Clarke, took place at Berryville, on the 27th

Warrenton, and will take possession at an

early day.

Mr. Edmund Burke, son of Mr. J. W.
Burke, left here Saturday for Hanover Academv, where he won high honors last session.

Miss Virginia Fairfax is visiting Mrs. J.

Mr. Edward Slaymaker left here to-day to resume his medical studies at the Mary-

land University Mr. J. D. Hooe to-day commenced the

medical course at the Columbian University of Washington.

Dr. Albert Fairfax is quite sick at the Infirmary with intermittent fever.

The families of Dr. R. C. Powell and Mr.

Thus, Leadbeater, who have been spending the summer in the country, have returned.
Mr. Sol. Genzberger, of Helena, Montana, is visiting relatives in this city.

BOATING NOTES.—The following boating notes are taken from a Washington Sunday paper of yesterday:

* The third race was for the celebrated Palmer Cup for gigs, and, as no crew appeared against the famous Old Dominions, of Alexandria, that excellent crew pulled over the course, the rain alone keeping them

In the eight-oared race the Columbias came in two seconds late. The judge at the fluish, Mr. M. B. Perry, of the Old Dominions, states that he was so interested in watching the race that the Potomacs had gone com pletely over the line before he dropped the dag for them, and as he did so he had to im-

mediately raise it for the Columbias. Capt. Uhler, of the Old Dominions, of Alexandria, is unquestionably a valuable man for that popular and now famous organiza-tion. Not only is he familiar with everything relating to aquatics and boats, but he is one of the most famous submarine divers with dip nets in the South. He is familiar with every inch of the river's bottom in front of Alex-

REPORTED ROBBERY .- While Matthew Harvey, the treasurer of the lodge of Galilean Fishermen, a colored organization, was attending his lodge, near Hamilton, on Friday night last, two men entered his house,

the lodge money. The men appeared to be amiliar with the house and everything per uning to the money, as when they entered o said : "There is \$175 here belonging to ed on Saturday. the Galilean Fishermen; we have come after it and are going to have it." That after it and are going to have it." That was the sum in the treasurer's possession, but they failed to get \$50, which was hid in a Bible. Suspicion rests on some of the members of the order, and it is be leved that the guilty parties will be captured. Harvey's wife says she was so surprised that she failed to recognize the men but knows they were colored.

POLICE REPORT .- Last night was c'ear and mild with thirteen prisoners and one lodger at the station house.

The Mayor this morning disposed of the following cases: Anna Willis, colored, arrested by officers
Bettis and Simpson for disorderly conduct,
was fined \$3 and Jerry Willis, arrested on
the same charge, was discharged.

James Bland, colored, W. H. Harper and

J. H. McDonough, arrested by officers Davis,

McCuen, Taylor and Jones, for disorderly conduct, were fined \$2 each.

Mat. Williams and J. H. Thompson, arrested by officers Taylor, Davis and Price,

for being drunk and disorderly, were fined 3 each. Frank Striker, Wm. McWirt, Jas. Moore, H. A. Simpson, Geo. Nelson, Stony Taylor, Jerry Robinson, colored, and a young white

man, arrested by officers Bettis, Young, Jones and Ticer, for being drunk on the street, were fined \$1 each.
J. H. Harvey and J. B. Brown, arrested by officers Davis and Price, for being drunk

on the street, forfeited their collateral. CIRCUIT COURT.—Judge Jas. Keith, pre siding.—Aitcheson Bros. vs. Summers et al.; cause submitted to court for decree in vaca-

Joseph Thornbury vs. the V. M. Ry; cause removed to Circuit Court of the coun-ty for trial on Nov. 10th. Shipman vs. Fletcher; decree for security

for costs. Chesapeake Guano Co. vs. W. A. Young; decree for withdrawing and recording a

deed of release. City Council of Alexandria vs. F. L. Brockett et al.; case in progress.

Cases Continued.—Last week in the County Court of Westmoreland the case of the Commonwealth vs. M. Bossart for felonious assault was continued to the October term, defendant waiving preliminary examination. Mr. Bossart is the proprietor of Colonial Beach and is charged with cutting, in July last, one Winfield Scott Pierce, a special policeman at the Beach, an account of which was published in the GAZETTE the

day after it occurred.

The cases against Roane, Washington et als, for a riot at Beale's wharf on July 4th, were also continued to the October term.

STRANGE.-We saw, on Thursday last goods being delivered to one of our Lees burg merchants, which had come from Washington by the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to White's Ferry, and were then hauled four miles, with a ferry to cross, to Leesburg, and this because it cost so much less than by the present freight rates on the railroad. Canal freights, we all know, are and properly, lower than railroad rates, but when eight miles of wagoning is added to canal rates, and then money is saved, it is passing strange. Can't our railroad look into its charges? -Leesburg Washingtonian.

JUMPED FROM AN ENGINE. - On Saturday last Mr. Henry Davies, a fireman on the Virginia Midland road, jumped from his en gine, near Manassas, and broke both of his arms, one near the wrist and the other near there is nothing here to show people there are such merchants in your city." that one of the stay bolts was blown from the beiler, letting some of the steam escape into the cab, and he feared that he would be some of the enterprise of its merchants in your district the what at the other hear the what at th Poweil and Ashby.

Mr. Todd Again.—At the meeting of the Washington Presbytery to-morrow the case of the Rev. F. M. Todd, the Manassas preacher, will come up again for discussion. Foole have long since learned to Mr. Todd and his counsel, Rev. Dr. Sunder-land, have appealed from the decision ren-know, and the successful merchants, as dered by the Presbytery to the Synod, which Mr. Wannamaker, of Philadelphia, says, are those who let the public know through such madiums that they are in business.

meets in Dover, Del., during the present month, and the Presbytery will consider what recommendatory action they will take in the matter.

OPERA HOUSE.-Hall and Miller's stan dard company of comedians, in Ranch No. 10, will appear at the Opera House next Wednesday night. The play is said to be a very funny one, and all amusement loving people ought not fail to witness it. piece has been played throughout the United States, and always to crowded and delighted

COUNTY COURT—Judge D. M. Chichester presiding.—The last will and testament of Henry W. Taylor was fully proven and adult, and was a brilliant affair.

Judge Jas. Keith has rented the residence of Dr. J. C. Wise, on Winchester street, term the court adjourned until court in term the court adjourned until court in course.

> Nervous debility, premature decline of power in either sex, speedily and permanently cured. Large book, 10 cents in stamps. World's Dispensary Medical Association, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

EDUCATIONAL.

ARLINGTON INSTITUTE.

At the solicitation of friends, I have decided to open, in connection with my school, a PRIMARY DEPARTMENT FOR SMALL CHILDREN, under the charge of Miss PHILIPPA TALIAFERRO. The children will be trained in Kindergarten Drill and Singing by Mrs. M. E. WALLES.

Terms: \$2 a month in advance. Scholars reseived on application at the Institute sep27 1w REBECCA C. POWELL.

Mrs. LITTLE'S CALISTHENIC CLASS

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Miss CLARA HARRISON,

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Extras at reasonable charges.

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Miss M. V. LOMAX, Box 137,
sep1 toet15

Warrenton, Va.

Clarens School for Girls,

Seminary Hill, 246 miles from Alexandria, Va., re-opens SEPTEMBER 20. Ten experienced professors and teachers. Thorough instruction; careful training; home influence. Special terms for beard per week to pupils residing in Alexandria. about a mile from that village, and while one of them seized Harvey's wife the other looked through a chest in an adjoining room where he found and carried away \$125 of sep7-colm P. O. Box 21, Alexandria, Va.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The sewer in the postoffice yard having become choked, had to be tapped and flush-

The sale of a few tracts of land delia quent for taxes in the county, was continued to day till the October term of the court. Mr. Charles Hardy, a former employee of

Columbia fire company, died on Saturday night last. The clerk of the City School Board to-day issued three permits to white boys and one

Mr. J. H. Devaughn and a member of

to a white girl; seven to colored boys and seven to colored girls. The alarm of fire about 10 o'clock last night was caused by the blowing of the whistles of some policemen who needed as

sistance in making an arrest. A colored man named Coleman, while at work unloading coal at Shepherd's, on Saturday, fell and disiccated his hip. He was

brought to his home in this city. A collection was taken up in the Baptist Church yesterday for contemplated repairs to be made to the lecture rooms of that church and \$1,325 were subscribed.

We have received an invitation to attend the fair of the Shenandcah Valley Agricul tural Society which commences at Winches-ter on the 11th inst., and continues four

Democratic ward meetings will be held to morrow night to choose delegates to the convention which is to meet in this city on Saturday next, to nominate a candidate for the legislature.

A sow belonging to Wm. Johnston, who lives at the upper end of King street, on Saturday last gave birth to a litter of six pigs, one of which bears a remarkable resemblance to a rabbit.

this evening between Councilman Germond, engineer of the steamer Corcorar, and Mate Frank Fowler, of the same steamer, but neither was much hur?. Several soldiers from the marine baracks in Washington came here yesterday, got

A fight took place on Prince street wharf

drunk and after an exciting chase were ar-rested and locked up in the station house. The affair created considerable excitement in the eastern part of the city.

maliciously cutting Henry Beach at the brick yard on Sunday, the 25th just, took place before Justice Drummond this evening and the prisoner was bailed in the sum of \$500 for his appearance before the grand

jury, Mr. E. E. Downham becoming his

"Mamma" said a little three year old, papa says you wern't pretty last week, but you are beautiful to day." "Ah! my child, la t week I had neuralgia, this week I have

MEDICINAL.

ELIXIR BABEK,

A vegetable componed, contains no Quinine. A safe and positive cure for MALARIA, FEVER and AGUE; also as a tonic for strengthening and ingigorating the system.

For sale by all druggists. Fifty cents a bottle; hree bottles for \$1.25.

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FOR CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES

JOHN M. REED'S NEW STORE,

Corner Prince and Fairfax streets,

(Opposite Green's Factory.)

3 the pure Hogs' Land, 25c; 10 the choice Family Flour, 25c; 12 4 the Best Family Flour, 38c; 1 the best Lag Coffee, 29c; 1 the best Gov. Java, 33c; best S. C. Shoulder, Sige per lb; also achiece lot of Pickled Hogs' Feet, Tripe, Pickles, Provisions etc.

Choice Loudoun Butter, Fggs and Milk received daily. Save money by calling at cerl 1w JNO, M. REED'S.

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE One Night Only-WEDNESDAY, Oct. 5. HALL & MILLER'S

Standard Company of Comedians

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The Prettiest Home Drama of Modern Times. THE GREATEST FIRE SCENE EVER PRO DUCED. NEW SONGS! NEW MUSIC! NEW DANCES.

Sea's on sale at Summers & Allen's drug store. Prices, 25, 35 and 50c.

FAIRS.

LADIES' FAIR.

McBURNEY'S HALL, October 17th to 27th, 1887 For the

BENEFIT OF THE BUILDING FUND OF POTOMAC LODGE, NO. 38, I. O. O. F. Season tickets 50 cents.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

WE HAVE on hand, stricely first quality, everything in the line of RUBBER BOOTS and SHOES in extra heavy and extreme light weights and specialties, never before exhibited in

KAUFMANN'S. OUR OWN SCOTCH BOTTOM WATER-PROOF BOOTS, for farmers, railroad men and sports-men. You can get them only of sep30 KAUFMANN, Sole Agent.

THE BEST KIP BOOTS at two dollars and fourteen cents; such as are sold all over the State at two dollars and seventy five cents, at sep30 KAUFMANN'S.

WE ARE now ready to show you the best appointed and cheapest stock of BOOTS and SHOES ever offered in the city, at sep30 KAUFMANN'S

MEN'S CALF BOOTS at two dollars and soventeen cents a pair, better than any other house in the city can offer you at three dollars, at sep30 KAUFMANN'S.

THE ENTERPRISE MEAT CHOPPER is the best; does not grind the meat, like other cutters, but CHOPS IT. It is useful for many purposes ALL THE YEAR ROUND in preparing chicken salad, beef tea, mince meat, hash, &c. For sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, nov3 Alexandria, Va. Alexandria, Va.

CHOICE FLOUR.

BAKER'S CRYSTAL. TENNEY'S NEW SOUTH, FAMILY AND ROLLER EXTRA, For sale by J. C. MILBURN.

PORTING GOODS, GUNS, &c.—We are now Preceiving our stock of Paper Shells, Guns, Primers, Wads, &c., to which we invite the attention of the public. Prices low and goods first-class.

JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,

We have on hand a SUPERIOR LOT OF FULTZ WHEAT, aug23 New No. 315 King st., Alexandria. N^{0, 2} FAT MACKEREL for sale by J. C. MILBURN. put aside especially for seed. sep2 1m J. T. & J. G. BECKHAM.

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Clean-es the Nassl Pass HAYFEVER nges, Allays Pain and In

flammation, Heals the Sores, Restores the Sense of Taste and Smell. Tny

Aparticle is applied into each nostril and is agreeable. Price 50 ets. at druggists'; by mail, registered, 60 ets. Circulars free.

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FENNEL HONEY EXTRACT

The Great German Family Remedy

For the Rapid Cure of
Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Influenza,
Croup, Whooping Cough, Difficulty of Breathing,
Pains and Tightness of the Chest, Dryness
or Ticking in the Throat, &c.
Absolutely free from substances injurious to
health. Small (3 cz.) bottles, 25 cts; large (8 cz.)
bottles, 50 cts. 28 For sale by all druggists.

FOR SALE AND RENT.

CTOREHOUSE FOR RENT.

I offer for rent my Storehouse in the town of Paris, Fauquier county, Va., now occupied by J. Y. Button & Co. Possession given the 1st day of October next. The house is new large, complete and commodious, and a good stand for business. The postoffice is kept in the building. Correspondence solicited. W. W. ROGERS. Paris, Fauquier co., Va., aug18 tf

PROPOSALS.

Affairs were quiet at the station house up to a late hour yesterday afternoon and the prospects for an increase in the city treasury looked poor indeed, but business picked up before dark and by ten o'clock last night the usual number of arrests had been made.

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION.—The pre-liminary examination of Wm. C. Holmes for pink wood.

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Both coal and wood to be delivered and started.

Both coal and wood to be delivered and stored as needed.
sep29 1 w HUBERT SNOWDEN, Clerk

CANDIDATES.

A T THE request of many democrats, we nomi-of Delegates.

Sep28

VOLUME

MR. LEONARD MARBURY will be supported for the House of Delegates from the city and county of Alexandria by sep27 MANY VOTERS.

FANCY GROCERIES.

Creamery Butter

FOR SALE BY

C. WM. RAMSAY.

Extra Fancy

For sale at actual weight by

C. WM. RAMSAY. Cerealine Flakes

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GUARANTEED STRICTLY PURE.

Whole and Pure Ground Spices. For sale by

C. WM. RAMSAY.

FRESH GROUND OATMEAL

FRESH GOODS,

AND Crushed Wheat

Just received by C. WM. RAMSAY.

SEED WHEAT.

DRY GOODS.

SEVENTY-FIVE CASES OF SOLID

50 ROLLS OF CARPET. 50 ROLLS OF OIL CLOTH, 20 BALES OF BLANKETS, 10 BALES OF COMFORTS.

All in our store, marked and ready to sell cheaper than ever before

offered in this or any other market.

Ye Olden-times Calicoes, yard wide, heavy and thick, 8½c.

Beautiful Worsted Dress Goods 10c a yard.

36-inch wide Scrim, for curtains, 5c a yard.

15-inch fine and heavy Linen Crash at 8c a yard.

We in fact have our store filled from cellar to top, and have spared no pains, trouble or expense to have one of the largest and best assorted stocks kept anywhere.

Is complete. Our Trimming Department has the finest and best goods

Was never in better condition. We have the choice goods in leading styles and make. Our arrangements for cutting, fitting and making are all complete, and a fit is guaranteed.

We have a great many novelties in our store, such as Table Scarfs, Bureau Covers, Lambriquins and other fancy embroidered work.

Raglans, &c., &c.

Large variety of Lace Curtains, Portiers and Upholstery Goods.

We invite all to examine our stock, prices and goods; sample them,

compare them and act according to your good judgment.

ISAAC EICHBERG & CO.

J. E. Tackett.

ular price 75c.

Corner King and Royal Streets.

ATTRACTIONS THAT SELL

We are pleased, and with right good reason, for last month closed with the best sales of any September since we have been in the business, and we open this month with so many attractions and such good values that we feel assured the increase for October will be equally as great. We have secured genuine bargains in the following:

A lot of handsome Double Damask Table Linen at 90 cents.

These goods are very little under two yards in width, and are sold regularly for \$1 50, A lot of 62-in. Bleached Damask at 65c; reg-

A piece of Bleached Damask at 40c; a good value at 50c.

A lot of 24x50 Damask Towels at 25c. You only need to look at these goods to see that they are very much

Special bargains in HUCK TOWELS at 20c each; in CLASS TOWELS at 80c per doz.

THE BLANKET STOCK is particularly well supplied with good bargains, and is worth examining. The 11-4 and 12-4 goods at \$5 and \$6 deserve special attention.

Notwithstanding our good fortune in obtaining the above goods, THE DRESS GOODS Have not been neglected, and in addition to our already splend.d stock

we open to-day 3 special values in 46-in. goods at 60 and 75c, which are 25c under the regular price. NEW PLAIDS IN 6-4 CLOTHS and an attrac-

tion at 40c, worth 50c. Last month's CARPET BUSINESS

was an immense success, and if an elegant selection at low prices can be relied upon this month will add to the good work. We have on hand 60 patterns in Velvets, Wilton Velvets, Body and Tapestry Brussels, 3-Plys, Ingrains, Hemps, etc., and another invoice of the PINE WOOL CARPET on the way. All the Remnants in this department have been measured and marked, and are being sold at a great reduction.

OIL CLOTHS in abundance, and a great variety of Patterns special in this department is the English Corticene Oil Cloths for halls, very wide and very heavy.

Our Merchant Tailoring and Cassimre Department is plentifully stocked with choice patterns, and all work is guaranteed.

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Notice particularly that we have been and are selling YE OLD-

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58-inch wide Table Cloth, Turkey red, at 25c a yard.

Our Dress Goods Department

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A full line of Jackets, Cloaks, Wraps, Visites,